

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:	)	Group Art Unit: <b>2837</b>
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Application No. <b>10/812,135</b>	)	Confirmation No.: <b>2633</b>
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Filed: <b>March 29, 2004</b>	)	
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For: DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSING METHOD	)	
AND APPARATUS THEREOF, CONTROL	)	
DATA GENERATION METHOD AND	)	
APPARATUS THEREOF, AND PROGRAM	)	
RECORDING MEDIUM	)	

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**RESPONSE TO APRIL 19, 2006 OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed April 19, 2006. Applicants respectfully request amendment of the patent application, and reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.